FRIDAY EVENING, AUG. 4, 1893.

SECRETARY CARLISLE is reported as saying, that in his opinion only the silver question will be discussed at the so, then the tariff bill may as well not be discussed at the regular session, for if its discussion be postponed until that session shall begin, it can not be an explanation, and the matter will concluded in time for that bill to be probably be allowed to drop. passed, put into operation and tested, before the next Congressional election, and the people will believe, and, what's more, have good cause to do so, that they have been fooled again. The democratic leaders are utterly unfit for their positions if they don't know that the majority of the voters of this country, as clearly demonstrated at the last two national elections, believe in democratic principles and democratic policies, and, if at all familiar with human nature, they ought to know that if the people find that such principles and party and support a party of some other name, but one that will not only profess the principles and policies of democracy, but have the manliness to defend have read his message. and maintain them, no matter by what name such a party may be called. Party bands are not as strong now as they have been, and in the South the fear of negro domination has been dispelled.

HOPE HAS been revived in the breasts of those who supposed that reason had gone into total eclipse in this country, not announce the composition of the for even in the city of Brooklyn, where sentimentalism is at its height, one man at least proves that he has common sense, by advocating the re-establishment of the whipping post, and saying "Confinement which costs the State so much, as every police justice knows, has no effect on ruffians. This is an capital \$50,000; the Citizens National age when we need have no fear that Bank of Muncie, Ind., capital \$200,000, any more inhuman treatment will be and the Texas National bank of San given to the culprit than he has given to his victim." If Virginia were as wise as the Brooklyn man referred to, at New York banks, especially if the not only her future generations, but the present one, would reap the reward of her wisdom.

THE POPULISTS, at their State convention at Lynchburg yesterday, arraigned the President, who, they declared, was elected for the express purpose of relieving the people of the robberies of the tariff bill, but who has called Congress, not to repeal that bill, but to help the rich man of Wall street. This is no more than was expected by those people whose eyes are open. No of Washington district, in that county, wise man gives his opponent a stick, yesterday elected Mr. Charles Thompand when an unwise one does, nobody is surprised if it be used to break his head. And this will be the harp string two are known to be anti-O'Ferrall that will be played upon effectively unless the McKinley bill be repealed as soon as possible.

THE PROPOSITION to set apart enough territory for the creation and establishment of a negro State in the western part of this country, should by all means be adopted. The negroes will not return to the land of their forefathers, but, for a consideration, they may be induced to go to such a State as that suggested, and could there work out their own salvation, and afford a practical illustration of their qualifications for self government.

SECRETARY SMITH of the Interior Department, a' southern man, has been burnt in effigy, in the presence of an admiring crowd, in Ohio, because, upon the recommendation of Pension Commissioner Lochren, a northern man and an ex-Union soldier, he signed the order for the investigation of pension frauds. And yet there are southern gushers who glibly assert that all appearance of sectional animosity has entirely disappeared in the North!

AT AN election in Woodhaven, New York, where women yote, day before yesterlay the female voters were not content with casting ballots, but indulged in the freedom not unusually enjoyed by the male suffragists on such occasions, and attacked each other furiously, scratching, gouging and pulling hair until stopped by the police. There should, of course, be woman suffrage-but, only in the North.

AGAIN IN RECEIVERS' HANDS .- A dispatch from Atlanta, Ga., says a bill reached Atlanta Wednesday night which gave the news that the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company has again been placed in the hands of Samuel Spencer, Reuben Foster, and F. W. Huiedekoper as receivers. On the 29th of July the attorneys for the Central Trust Company went before Judge Newman, in Virginia, and fore-closed a mortgagefor \$4,257,350 against the Richmond and Danville and asked that receivers be appointed. They showed that the interest on this mortgage from the 1st of October, 1892, had not been paid, although it had been demanded. Upon hearing the petition read Judge Newman granted an order placing the road in the hands of Receivers Spencer, Foster, and Huidekoper, who are now operating it for the against it.

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 4.

Official charges are announced in the Treasury Detartment to-day as follows: Appointed—Gilbert B. Nelson, New York, and Andrew H. Pitchford, New Jersey, assistant inspectors of boilers, New York; Philip Smith, Massachusetts, assistant custodian of U. S. postoffice and sub-treasury building, Boston, Mass. Resigned—Geo. Patti-son, Chinese inspector; L. E. Tenison, assistant custodian of U. S. postoffice and sub-treasury building, Boston, Mass. Removed—J. F. O'Neill and John H. Butler, assistant inspectors of boilers, New York. F. M. Windship, Chinese inspector.

The State Department is investigating a charge made by Mr. Fitzgerald, the U.S. consular agent at Bocas del Toro, Colombia, that he was treated with indifinity by a judge at his station extra session of Congress. If that be for refusing to authenticate the judge's signature unless it were made in his presence. Investigation discloses that Mr. Fitzgerald was not arrested, but merely summoned before the judge for

The Pension Commissioner in reply to a request of certain newspaper cor-respondents that he restore the old custom of making public the names of those to whom pensions are daily is-sued, says he will give the matter early

consideration. The only Virginia member of the House yet here is Mr. Swanson, but all the others are expected in time to attend the democratic caucus to morrow night. Many members from all the other States have arrived, and, all of them call upon Mr. Crisp, the lobby of the Metropolitan Hotel is crowded all the time. Talks with a number make the impression that they will do just exactly as the President policies have been abandoned by the may desire them to do, not only on the democratic party, they will leave that silver, but on all other questions, and that Mr. Cleveland holds them in the hollow of his hand, many of them even saying they will not express themselves in respect of silver until they shall many of them are trying to find out the strongest men for the elective of-fices of the House, in order to declare for them, and thus have claims for a share of the patronage. But in politics, as in every thing else now, every body is for himself first and the country afterwards. Mr. Crisp says he has not yet determined upon the chairmanship of a single committee, and may

committees until week after next.

The financial news from New York received here up to 2 o'clock this afternoon was as follows: Money on call 6 per cent., and stocks stronger; no sales The Naof silver, last bid being 711 tional German American Bank of St. Paul, Minu., capital \$2,000,000; the First National Bank of Hammond, Ind., in ss this morning. Much difficulty is experienced in getting checks cashed cash is to be locked up at home. West-ern grain dealers have telegraphed their eastern agents to sell at half a cent a bushel cheaper to buyers who will forward cash by express, rather

than send checks on banks. It has just leaked out that deputy commissioner Bell of the Pension Bureau up to four days after the recent order was issued placing able-bodied men out of the pension pale was issued, drew a disability pension of \$12 a month for "loss of teeth and indigestion." At the date named he resigned his pension.

People from Alexandria county, Virgiuia, here to-day, say that the democrats men.

The application of E. J. Parker of Roanoke, Va., for a place as special agent of the Treasury Department, was

filed at that Department to-day.

Among the callers at the Treasury Department to-day was the famous Congressman Cannon of Illinois, man with the mouth." He was there looking over the papers upon which a man from his district had been removed. He was defeated in 1890, but was reelected last fall.

It is reported that though the fact is conceded by most of the democratic members of the House that Mr. Holman would not be the right man in the right place as chairman of the appro-priations committee, nor Mr. Springer, as chairman of the ways and means committee, they will probably be re-tained, lest a cry be raised in the North that the "rebels" have charge of the

business of the country.

The total number of fourth class postmasters appointed to-day was 113, of whom 77 will fill the places of removed republicans. There were no changes in Virginia.

It is said at the State Department today that the award of the Bering Sea arbitration is not expected for at least

The recently deposed chief of letter carriers at Binghampton, N. Y., is here. He made charges against the postmas-ter at Binghampton and asked to be reinstated. He was told that nothing would be done unless he established a prima facie case.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, arrived here last night.
Mr. Edmund Burke left here this morning for Richmond to present an application to Judge Fauntleroy, of the Court of Appeals, for a writ of error in

Mr. Frank Hume of Alexandria county, Va., whose business is in this city, is confined to his home by painful, but not dangerous indisposition.

the Phillips murder case at Alexan-

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 4.-Advices from San Jose de Costa Rica, Central America, report a disastrous state of affairs there. Throughout the republic there is a financial panic caused by the condition of the silver market. Failures have been numerous, and more are expected. Yellow fever is reported to be raging at Port Limon on the Atlantic side and with such fatal effect that half the population have fallen victims to the dread disease.

The Sheriff of St. Charles, Mo., has sworn in twenty-five deputies to assist in protecting the negro John Dieckman, who a few days ago eloped with a white court under the Clyde bill. From the present indications the road will have to be sold to wipe out the claims filled with people and the negro will should be well stocked with them.—Fredericksprobably be lynched.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The cholera is said to be epidemic in Marseilles.

The President will leave Buzzards' Bay this evening for Washington.

Mr. Robt. Jamison, a well- known Baltimore merchant, died yesterday. A grenade exploded on the German ronclad steamer Baden at Kiel yesterday, killing seven seamen and wounding seventeen others.

The commissioner of pensisns will, in the future, require evidence as to the credibility of witnesses to affidavits residing in cities of 20,000 or more inhabitants.

Minister Blount's long-expected report on Hawaiian affairs is in the possession of the Secretary of State, Mr. Blount is expected in Washington about August 20.

Mrs. William D. Coleman, a wellknown lady, who was the mother of nineteen children, died at her home in Caswell county, N. C., yesterday. Her husband and eleven children survive her.

White Caps dragged George C. Soby from his bed in Hulmeville, Bucks county, Pa., yesterday, and horse whipped him severely for continually beat-ing his wife, who worked hard to support the family, while he drank to ex-

It is reported that President Cleveland will appoint Thomas A. Benedict, who occupied the position under the last democratic administration, public printer unless Mr. Benedict is pointed assistant Secretary of State of New York.

At a meeting of London bankers held in the Mansion House yesterday, Mr. A. J. Balfour spoke in favor of an international agreement fixing the ratio of value between gold and silver. A gold standard, he said, would not satisfy commercial wants. .

The house of Samuel Vanderberg, in Ransom, Pa., was burned yesterday, and an infant child perished in the flames. Mrs. Vanderberg rescued two of her children, aged four and six years, but was unable to reach the baby was compelled to watch the flames creep into the room and devour the child.

Representative Springer, of Illinois, favors the repeal of the silver-purchase clause of the Sherman law. He thinks the ways and means committee of the next House of Representatives will re-port one general tariff bill instead of a series of specific bills. Representative Bland, the champion of free coinage, is emphatic in his declaration that the unconditional repeal of the purchase clause in the Sherman act cannot be accomplished in either house of Con-

MAJOR TYLER'S STATEMENT .- The following statement was issued last gress may devise. We are unalterably night from Major Tyler's headquarters in Radford:

We understand it is being reported Major Tyler will withdraw, and that his name will not be before the convention. In answer we will say to this last lodge that Major Tyler will be before the convention to the last, and that to win. If he should go down it will be in the last ditch, and with the democratic banner around him. He can only be downed by the democratic par-ty, not by brag and bluster.

Major Tyler has eight, if not eleven, delegates in Rockingham, and sixteen in Washington, instead of eight, as re-ported in some of the papers. Two of those claimed for Major Tyler may be for Col. Buford.

To date Major Tyler has 388, Col. O'Ferrall, 571; Col. Buford 64, and doubtful, 44. There are 575 delegates yet to be elected. Col. O'Ferrall will not have over 750 delegates on the first ballot.

We protest against the methods being used to discourage Major Tyler's friends.

H. C. PRESTON, friends.

Secretary Tyler Home Club.

Bishop McDonnell, of Brooklyn, Vicar this end we demand that the money General M. May, pastor of the Most Holy Trinity Church, in Montross avenue, has been made a monsignor by the

Pope. It is stated that Vicar General Mc-Namara, representative of Bishop Mc-Donnell, during the latter's absence Donnell. from the Brooklyn diocese, has written a letter authorizing Dr. Edward Mc-Glynn to say mass for one month in St. will be counted as cast. Finbars Church, Bath Beach. The pastor of the church is Father Ward.

It is authoratively stated in Wash-

ngton that Mgr. Satolli has not as vet rendered a decision in the case of Dr Burtsell, of New York, and has not pos-itively ordered Archbishop Corrigan to restore him to his old parish. It is also stated that the report that Mgr. Satolli will go to Rome and lay the Burtsell matter before the Pope, with the recommendation that a coadjutor be appointed to "assist the archbishop of New York in the management of so large a diocese," as a punishment for his action in the Burtsell case, "is the most absurd of all the absurd stories that have been printed about that

Fairfax Notes.

Mr. Geo. H. Terrett and wife, of St. Paul, Minn., are visiting Mr. Terrett's mother near Alexandria.

Mr. F. O. Staats, of Vienna, who was injured in the recent railroad accident in the West, has recovered sufficiently to return to his home.

Marr Camp and ex-Confederates in terested will meet in the court house immediately after the court adjourns Monday, August 21st, to consider the proposition to hold a reunion.

Mr. E. W. Pierce has been appointed special examiner in the bureau of pen-sions, with headquarters at Toledo, Ohio. The salary is about \$2,400 a year, and he left on Tuesday for his new field of labor.-Herald.

The Exodus of Colorado Miners.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 4.-Workmen from the Colorado mines continue to pour through Kansas, proving a heavy burden to the Western farmers and a source of great annoyance to the railroads. Trains that refuse to stop are pelted with rocks and clubs. In some instances the trains are accompanied through Kansas by guards of soldiers to avoid any interference with regular travel by these flying

ENGLISH PHEASANTS.—The Rappahannock Rod and Gun Club and Game Protective Association have received two male and four female English pheasants. These birds will be carefully bred and the young, when they attain the proper size, turned out. They have burg Lange.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The State Dental Association meets in Charlottesville next Thursday.

The Loudoun bush meeting near Purcellville, which was well attended, closed yesterday. The Washington Memorial Associa-

for American boys at Fredericksburg has completed its organization. The First National Fire Insurance Company of Fredericksburg, has been

chartered there, with a capital stock

of \$300,000. Percy S. Armstrong, superintendent of electric lights in Staunton, was killed yesterday by the fall of a pole which he was erecting.

Governor McKinney telegraphs from Blue Ridge Springs that he is sick and will not be able to be present at Chicago on August 9, Virginia Day. The democrats of King George coun-

ty elected yesterday the following delegates to the State convention: Wellford Corbin, E. L. Hunter, R. Stuart, Alex. Pratt, Dr. B. O. Caruthers, W. P. Billingsly. The delegation stands five for O'Ferrall and one for Tyler. King William elected 4 O'Ferrall and 3 Tyler delegates, and 7 from Sussex were uninstructed.

The answer of the Rev. E. L. Waldrop to the bill of complaint for a divorce has been filed in Charlottesville. It is in answer to Nannie T. Waldrop, his wife, who sues, by J. W. Christmas her father. The young preacher de-nies that he ever committed the crime charged, either in action or thought. charges of non-support and desertion of his wife, the respondent says, are "cruel, unjust and utterly false." He has been in the ministry fourteen vears.

The Populist Convention. The State convention of the populist party which meet at Lynchburg yesterday nominated the following ticket without opposition:

For governor-E. R. Cocke, of Cumberland county.
For lieutenant governor-J. Brad.

Beverley, of Fauquier. For attorney general-William F. Gravely, of Henry.

The following platform was adopted Section 1-Finance.-We favor the

free and unlimited coinage of silver and gold at the present legal ratio of 16 to i; a national currency, safe, sound and flexible; a full legal tender for all debts. public and private, issued by the gen eral government only, based on its credit and not on its indebtedness, in vol ume sufficient to maintain a healthy condition of business, and distributed directly among the poople, when demanded on the security of their property, at a reasonable rate of interest, under such system as the wisdom of Conopposed to State banks, or any other than national currency, because of its undesirableness and because the constitution of the United States conferred the power to issue money on the general government only, and this power cannot be delegated.

Sec. 2—Taxation.—In view of the notorious fact that the wealth of the country continues to aggregate in the hands of the comparatively few individuals who manage to escape payment of their just taxation, placing the bur-den on those least able to bear it, we demand a rigid listing of all stocks, bonds and evidences of debt property, subject to taxation at their true mar-ket value, and the imposition, both by national and State governments, of a graduated income tax, with severe pen-alties for the evasion of the law. Nonresident corporations doing business in to the value of the business done. National and State legislation should be so framed as not to build up the few at the expense of the many, whether under a tariff law, an international revenue law or an oyster law.

raised for its support shall not be used

as rewards for party services. Sec. 4-Electoral Reform.-We demand the repeal of the Anderson-Mc-Cormick election law and the enactment in its place of a non-partisan law which shall guarantee to every citizen legally entitled to vote the right to cast

will be counted as cast.

The preservation of our homes, the peace and fraternity of our country, the contentment and happiness of our people and the development and prosperity of all honest industries are the aims of our party. Pledging our party to an honest and faithful observance of the foregoing propositions, we cordially invite all citizens, without regard to former party affiliations, to unite with us in the effort to make our government once more "of the people, for the people and by the people.

The preamble to the platform se verely arraigns President Cleveland, "who was elected for the express purpose of relieving the people from the robberies of the McKinley tariff, but who calls Congress not to repeal the robber tariff, but to consummate the fraud of 1873, which demonetized sil-

The convention was in session from 10 o'clock a. m. till 6 p. m. Everything was harmonious, but some of the delegates express the belief that the convention did not put forward its strongest man for Governor. They seem to fear may reach the edge of the city that Cocke will not make an aggressive

candidate.
Gen. Field, late candidate for Vice ment in unmeasured terms.

The following were appointed on the committees from the Eighth district-Resolutions, J. Brad. Beverly; conference, J. W. Blackwell, R. O. Halsey; ways and means, W. S. Timmer; State committee, Judge James Woolfolk, J. Brad. Beverly.

The report of the committee on ways and means provides for the appointment of a committee of three at each voting precinct in each county, who, with the county chairman, shall consti- alleged accomplice of the alleged tute the ways and means committee, this committee to report to the State chairman as often as may be deemed

tributed among the delegates, the money so raised to be expended in paying the legitimate expenses of speakers. While awaiting the report of the comcash. mittees on platform and nominations the convention was addressed by N. A. Dunning, editor of the National Watch-Turner, of Georgia.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Foreign News.

PARIS, Aug., 4.-Rear Admiral Humann, commanding the French fleet now in Siamese waters announces that the blockade in Siam waters was raised yesterday afternoon.

Madrid, Aug., 4 .- A royal decree was read in the Cortes to-day adjourning the session.

Dublin, Aug., 4 .- A meeting of the Dublin section of the independent nationalists (Parnellites) was held to-day for the principal purpose for arranging the programme of the coming Parnellite convention. The meeting voted against the acceptance of the home rule bill.

APIA, Samoa, July 19, via San Francisco, Aug. 4 .- War broke out between Militoas and Mataffas forces but warships of three powers intervened and stopped fighting. Mataffa and his chiefs have surrendered. Mataffa's loss was 30 killed and 20 wounded.

Navahoe Loses Another Race.

LONDON, Aug., 4.-The regatta of the Royal Yacht Squadron took place to-day. The yachts contesting were the Satanita, Valkyrie, Calluna and the American yacht Navahoe. The course was covered twice, making the southwest wind was blowing and occasionally it rained. The Navahoe's mainsail, that was split yesterday, was repaired and to all appearances is as good as new. Though the Navahoe got the best position in the start she cut a poor figure. She tacked shoreward with the apparent intention of taking the other yachts' wind, but the attempt failed. The Satanita finished first the Valkyrie second and the Navahoe last. The prize was £100.

An Amateur Bank Robber.

DULUTH, Minn., Aug. 4 .- A bold attempt was made at noon yesterday by an unknown man to rob the St. Louis County Bank. He came into the bank and saw a package containing \$10,000 within easy reach. Going out he hired a horse, road back to the bank and going in, found the cashier alone. The robber wrote a demand for the money and passed it through the window to the cashier, at the same time displaying a gun. The cashier dropped down behind the counter and by crying for help, frightened the amateur bank robber so that he gave up the attempt and rode away. Chase was made, but the man escaped.

From a Cholera-Infected Port. NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The steamship terday after a long voyage from the cholera-infected port of Naples with nearly 500 passengers on board. During the voyage three passengers died and were buried at sea. After inspecting the passengers this morning the health officer ordered them to the islands in the bay where they will be detained until all doubts of the existence of cholera are removed. Dr. Jenkins says that while he can find no evidence of cholera on board, he deems the State should be taxed according the circumstances sufficiently suspicious to hold the vessel.

Trade Depression in Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 4.—The worsted goods mannfactory of John Bromley Sec. 3—Public Schools.—The public & Sons closed last night on account of school system should be placed on a the depressed condition of trade. Three & Sons closed last night on account of CATHOLIC NOTES. -At the request of footing of increasing usefulness, and to thousand employes are affected. Tonight Doak & Son, worsted manufacturers, will close their mill for the same reason and eight hundred employes will be thrown out of work. John Blood & Bros., hosiery manufacturers, have closed their plant and five hundred men and girls are idle. Numerous other manufactories of this class are worked on short time.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Parrott Bros., cotton commission dealers in New York, suspended this

It is reported that Nelson Van Kirk, a board of trade operator, has just shot and killed himself in front of the Chicago exchange hall.

Patrick Egan, formerly Minister of the United States to Chili, is a passenger on the steamer which sailed from Panama for New York on Wednesday.

As a result of an old feud, George W. Maville, a wealthy and respected citizen of Olympia, Wash., last evening shot and killed J. S. McCabe, a neigh-

bor. Maville gave himself up. Ashland, Wis., is entirely surrounded by forest fires and from all directions smoke is rolling over in dense clouds

Theodore Thomas, musical director of the Columbian Exposition, has asked President on the populist ticket, was present and denounced the govern-costing \$1,800 a day and this, the management feels is too much.

The Osage Indians have refused to treat with the government commission for the cession of their reservation of nearly 2,000,000 acres to the government and the commissioners will return There were present about 150 dele- to Washington in a few days. Dectectives von Gerichten and Train-

or, of the New York police department, left Detroit, Mich., this afternoon with Mrs. Henry W. C. Meyer, wife and wholesale poisoner, Dr. Mever. The Western National Bank of New

York, having refused to pay a draft of Printed subscription lists for the col- the Chicago Trust and Saving Bank, lection of the campaign funds were dis- the President of the latter has put a most every line. Flour is quiet, with the dedraft in the hands of an express com- mand entirely confined to jobbing houses, pany with positive orders to collect the

Banke s of Chicago have been much annoyed, not to say embarrassed, by 59 as to condition. Corn 50 to 52. Bye 40 persistently refused to honor drafts Eggs 13. Butter is very scarce at 18 to 23. LARGE CANS CALIFORNIA APRICOTS J. C. MILBURN'S, man, Washington, D. C., and a Mr. the fact that bankers of New York have to 46. Oats, old 34 to 36, new 30 to 34.

with cash. New Yorkers offered clear- There is no change in other produce or proing house certificates, but as these are

not cash they have been refused. Mamie H. Thorne, aged 24 years, handsome actress choir singer and music teacher, took morphine with suicidal intent last night at her boarding house, in New York, and died this morning. It is said that her father is a wealthy mine owner living in San Francisco.

An almost successful attempt was made to wreck and rob a Wabash train this morning near Atlanta, Mo. A rail was taken from the track by the criminals, but its absence was discovered \$15 00. Lard quiet and firmer; steam \$810 by the son of the station agent who flagged the train preventing the wreck and intended robbery.

A few days ago Judge Ross rendered a decision deporting Wong Dop Kan, a Chinaman, residing in Los Angeles, Cal. The Chinese of San Francisco propose to test the decision and will have Wong released on a writ of habeas corpus and a decision rendered by the Circuit Court.

Among the failures reported to-day are the Baraboo Savings bank of Baraboo, Wis.; the Citizens National Bank, of Muncie, Ind.; the Lebanon, Pa., Trust and Safe Deposit Bank; the Trust and Safe Deposit Bank; the COFFEE. The market closed quiet at a National German American Bank of loss of L4c in the week, with the quotations St. Paul, Minn.; the Exchange Bank of Colby. Wis.: the West Side Ronk of St. Of Rio. Mild coffees were quiet. distance sailed fifty miles. A light Colby, Wis.; the West Side Bank of St. Paul, Minn., and the People's Savings Bank of St. Paul, Minn.

Governor Jones, of Indian Territory, has ousted the sheriff and judge of Cedar county, and appointed his own partisians in their stead. They refused to go and trouble is fear ed that may lead to another war.

A steamer with an excursion party left Fourteen Mile Island, Lake George, N. Y., for Pearl Point this morning. At Pearl Point are generally considered 15 cents lower than landing the steamer sank, and 12 lives were

Nicholas W. Herchmann, cashier for the Consolidated Steel and Iron Company, of St.

Consolidated Steel and Iron Company, of St.
Louis, was arrested yesterday charged with embezzlement.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Business continues quiet and the talk of hard times is still heard on all sides. The prices of grain continue to decline with no immediate prospects of an advance. Money is tight with little doing. In New York yesterday money on call was casy, ranging from 3 to 5 per cent., last loan at 3, and closing of 3 to 5 per cent., last loan at 3, and closing offered at 3. Prime mercantile paper 8a12 per cent. In Baltimore money was in demand at 6 per cent. The stock market is dull with little doing in local shares.

NEW TORK CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 3.—Beeves—no trade. Veals \$5a6.50 per 100 lbs.

Sbeep and Lambs.—sheep \$2a4 per 100 lbs. Hogs—market lower at \$5a6.50 per 100 lbs.

NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—The stock market drifted into dullness after the initial trading this morning and at the same time it became apparent that there was very little stock pressing for sale. The downward movement was checked about 10;15 a. m. and from that Karamania arrived at quarantine yes- time on the market improved steadily. Stocks were not to be had in any large amounts at going quotations and the shorts had to keep advancing their bids in order to cover their contracts. As a result prices rose 1/2 to 3 per cent. The market at 11 a. m. was strong on the advance. Currency was in active demand again this morning and premiums ranging from 1/2 to 2 per cent. were paid. Wholesale Prices in Alexandria.

Superfine..... Extra 2 30 a 2 50 3 40 Family .. Fancy brands..... Wheat, longberry..... 0 60 a 0 64 0 60 a 0 60 a 0 63 0 58 a 0 60 0 55 a 0 58 Mixed . ..... Damp and tough...... Porn, white....... Yellow..... 0.51 a 0.52 0.50 a 0.52 0.49 a 0.50 Mixed . Corn Meal..... 40 a 046 New......
Butter, Virginia.....
Common to middling... Unpeeled ...... Dried Cherries..... Dried Apples...
Bacon, country hans...
Best sugar-cured hams.
Butchers' hans...
Breakfast Bacon...
Sugar-cured shoulders. Bulk shoulders...... Long clear sides...... Fat backs..... Bellies ...... Smoked shoulders. .... Smoked sides..... Lard...... Smoked Beef..... Sugars-Brown..... Off A....... Conf. standard A...... Conf. standard A.
Granulated
Coffees—Rio.
LaGauyra.
Java.
Molasses B. S.
C. B.
New Orleans.
Porto Rico.
Sugar Syrups. Do. half barrel.. 

But few changes can be reported in market values to-day. The unsettled condition of finances continued to depress business in alwho buy only to supply current wants. Wheat is firmer at a small advance; sales 60 to 63 for good to prime milling, no choice longberry was offered, other Wheats bring from 56 to

Lump...... Clover Seed.....

Salt-G. A.....

Wool—long, unwashed..... Washed ..... Merino, unwashed.....

Do. washed .....

Fine ..... Turk's Island...

0.95 a

0 28 a

075 2 085

BALTIMORE, Aug. 4 .- Flour dull and un changed. Wheat quiet a casy; No 2 red spot 65½ 365½; Aug 65a5½; Sept 67a 67½; Oct 69 asked; Dec 74 arked; steamer No 2 red 63 bid; milling wheat by sample No 2 red 63 bid; mining wheat by sample 65a66. Corn firmer; mixed spot and Ang 464a4649; Sept 474a4742; Oct 48 asked; year 47 asked; white corn by sample 51; yellow do 48a49. Oats steady; No 2 white Western 37a3749; No 2 mixed do 344a33, Rye dull; No 2 52a53. Hay strong; good to choice timothy \$19 00 to \$20 00. Provisions from and unchanged. firm and unchanged.

New York, Aug. 4.—Flour quiet and steady. Wheat dull and steady. Corn flower and dull Pork steady and quiet; mess

RICHMOND MARKET, Aug. 3.-The offer ings of grain have somewhat increased, but the market is depressed and prices continue to decline. We quote: Flour \$2 0644 25 for fine to patent family brands; Wheat 60a 65; Corn 47a50; Rye 45a50; Oats 33a35 FREDERICKSBURG MARKET, Aug 3.

Prices of grain continue to decline and the market is dull and heavy. We quote: Floor \$2 004 25 for fine to patent roller: Wheat 58a63; Corn 46a51; Rye 45a50; Oats 28a 32; Butter 15a18; Eggs 11a12. SUGAR AND COFFEE MARKET, Aug. 3 .-

Refined Sugars—The quotations are as follows: Standard powdered 5%4c; cubes 5%4c; cut loaf 5.15-16c; granulated 5%4c; fin cut loaf 5.15-16c; granulated 5½c; fing granulated 5½c; Confectioners' A 5¾c; Dia-mond A 5½c; Columbia A 5½; cents per lb. There was some indications of strength in the market but prices were unchanged.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, Aug 3 Prices of Beef Cattle this week ranged as fol-

| Rest | 4.024 (50 | Generally rated first quality | 37 s 45 a 45 a Medium or good fair quality | 27 s 37 c Ordinary thin Steers, Oxen and Cows | 2 a 47 a Of the Cattle received | S63 | came from Vir. Beef Cattle-The market has been slow this

the same grades last week. There were few-er tops among the offerings than on last Thursday, and more of the medium and common cattle. non cattle.
Milch Cows.—There was but few good cows

NEW YORK CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 3

CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET, Aug. 3 .- Cat-

tle—market was active; prices for natives \$4.25a4.75, medium \$4a4.35, others \$3 a3.35, Texans \$223, stockers \$1.50a2.50, native cows \$1.25a1.85 per 100 lbs. Hogs native cows \$1,25a1.85 per 100 lbs. Hogs-condition of the market 10a15c higher; packers and mixed \$4.30a4.65, prime heavy and butchers' weights \$4.50a4.80, light \$4.85a4.90 per 100 lbs. Sheep-market lower; natives \$2.25a3.50, Westerns \$2.75a 3.10 per 100 lbs. Lambs \$2.75a4.50 per 100 lbs.

FANCY JELLY, CURED APRICOIS, Choice Sundried Peeled Peaches and Fancy Evaporated Apples, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

25 DOZEN MENS' UNLAUNDERED SHIRTS, linen bosom, double back, felled seams at 39c, at CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

C LASS FRUIT JARS, self-sealing, 1 quart 90c per dozen; one-half gallon, \$1.15 per dozen, at H. C. WALLACE'S, 900 King street. A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF GING HAMS, apron and dress styles, for 5c per yard, just received by AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

A TTENTION, gentlemen! For a complete Hine of NEGLIGE SHIRTS, Medium Weight UNDERWEAR, HOSLERY, ETC. go to CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street.

A SMALL LOT of extra fine CASHMERE
FULL REGULAR MADE UNDERSHIRTS at just half price, call and see them
at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S. 20 BARRELS of NEW POTOMAC HER-RING; run of the seine; 500 count; \$3.50 per barrel, for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

CALIFORNIA EVAPORATED PEACHES
received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN. MENS' NECKWEAR, latest styles, at a great reduction at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

U NCANVASSED HAMS received fresh H. C. WALLACE, 900 King street. GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS, fancy and plain, at AMOS B, SLAYMAKER'S.

BEAUTIFUL BLACK LAWN, white fig-ure, worth 12½e now S¹ac at CHAPMAN'S. CHAPMAN'S.

YOU can buy SEAMLESS HEEL half hose for 5c a pair, usual price 10c, at AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

50 DOZEN GENTLENEN'S HALF CHAPMAN'S. A NEW ONE—PEACH PULP CREAM. 5 cents a glass, for sale by J. A. DIENELT & CO.

EXTRA QUALITY GREEN and BLACK TEAS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW crop JAPAN TEA, fine quality, just received and for sale at 60c, by

J. C. MILBURN.

NECTARINE PUNCH, the most delight-ful of all drinks at the soda fountain, for sale by LUNT & ALLEN.

\$22.50 WILL buy one of the best SEWING MACHINES CHAPMAN'S.

SUMMER WINES—Scuppernong, Catawla and Claret on draught and by the bottle, for sale by H. C. WALLACE. BEST GRANULATED SUGAR, 6 cents per pound at J. C. MILBURN'S

EVERY FAMILY should have a bottle of CHOLERA SPECIFIC in the house; price 15 cents at LUNT & ALLEN'S. A LOT of OUTING CLOTHS worth 12bgc selling at 6c, at CHAPMAN'S, 424 King street

MÉLROSE RYE WHISKY in quart bot-tles (4 and 6 years old) for sale by H. C. WALLACE.

TCED TEA—Good mixed TEAS, 45 and 60c per pound, suitable for making lead tea, at J. C. MILBURN'S. TACCINE-We have just received a supply of fresh Vaccine Points. je22 E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

 $F^{\rm INEST\ QUALITY\ COFFEES,\ freshly}_{\rm roasted,\ for\ sale\ by} \ _{\rm J.\ C.\ MILBURN.}$ PERSIAN MULL, a few pieces, usual price 12½c, will sell at 6½c per yard AMOS. B. SLAYMAKER.

EDAM and Young America Cheese, for H. C. WALLACE.